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Application No.: 09/244,163)	
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Filed: February 4, 1999)	
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For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE)	
AND SOLAR CELL MODULE	:	
HAVING DETACHABLE)	
CONSTITUENT MEMBERS	:	
AND DEGRADABLE RESIN)	
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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, Applicants respectfully direct the Examiner's attention to the document listed below and on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. A copy of the listed document is also enclosed.

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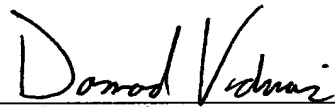
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The foregoing document was first brought to the attention of Applicants' undersigned attorney in a telephone conversation with the Examiner in July 2003.

This application has received a Notice Of Allowance. Accordingly, this Information Disclosure Statement is accompanied by the \$180.00 fee specified at 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p). Consideration of the art cited herein is respectfully requested. The Examiner is requested to indicate that this information has been considered by initialing the appropriate portion of the enclosed Form PTO-1449.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa, California office by telephone at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

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